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Applicant:	Longoni	Examiner:	UNKNOWN
Serial No.:	09/876562	Group Art Unit:	2681
Filed:	6/7/01	Docket No.:	975.347USW1
Title:	CELL LOAD CONTROL METHOD AND SYSTEM		

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully submit(s) the items of information on the enclosed Form 1449 for the attention of the Examiner in the above-identified application.

This statement should be considered because it is filed before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

Each of the enclosed references is cited in the International Search Report for PCT/EP98/07932.

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Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. According to M.P.E.P. §609, Applicant(s) request(s) that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

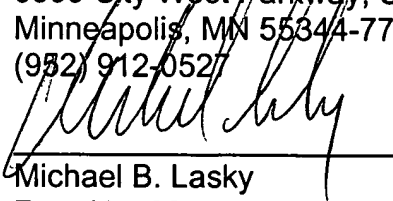
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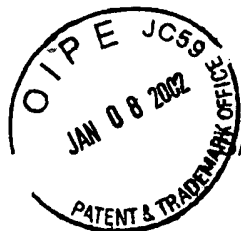
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- ☒ Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application
- ☒ Signed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, copies of 2 reference(s)
- ☒ Certified copy of International Serial Number PCT/EP98/07932, filed 7 December 1998;
- ☒ Submission of Priority Document
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$130.00 for Completion of Missing Parts
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